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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))

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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:
William Paul Mazotti and Brian Scott Huss

For: **OPTO-ELECTRONIC MODULE FORM FACTOR HAVING ADJUSTABLE OPTICAL PLANE HEIGHT**

Assigned to: National Semiconductor Corporation

Application Elements:

- ☒ 20 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☒ 7 Sheets of formal Drawings
- ☒ 2 Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney - Unexecuted

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☐ Do not publish this application. Nonpublication Request is attached.
- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☒ Other: Associate Power of Attorney

Claim For Foreign Priority

- ☐ Priority of _____ Application No. _____ filed on _____
is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ The certified copy is enclosed.
- ☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application U.S. Application No. _____
- ☐ The certified copy will follow.

Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

- ☐ Applicant is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

| | (Col. 1) Total Claims | | (Col. 2) Claims | (Col. 3) Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
|---|--------------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------|----------------|
| TOTAL | | MINUS | 20 | = | x 18 = | |
| INDEP. | | MINUS | 3 | = | x 84 = | |
| [] First presentation of multiple dependent claim | | | | | \$280 = | |
| Basic Filing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a) | | | | | \$750 = | |
| TOTAL | | | | | | |
| SMALL ENTITY 50% FILING FEE REDUCTION (if applicable) | | | | | | |

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- ☐ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. _____).

General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

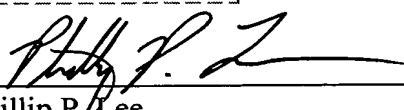
- ☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NSC1P271).

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